

**Appendix Table 2-34**
**Expenditures on tertiary education institutions as a percentage of GDP: 2000, 2005, and 2008–11**

Country	Expenditures on tertiary education as a percentage of GDP					
	2000	2005	2008	2009	2010	2011
OECD countries						
Australia	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6
Austria	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.5
Belgium	1.3	1.2	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.4
Canada <sup>a</sup>	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.8
Chile <sup>b</sup>	2.0	1.7	2.0	2.3	2.4	2.4
Czech Republic	0.8	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.4
Denmark <sup>a</sup>	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.9
Estonia	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.6	1.7
Finland	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.9
France	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.5
Germany	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.3
Greece	0.8	1.5	NA	NA	NA	NA
Hungary	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.8	1.0
Iceland	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.2
Ireland	1.5	1.1	1.4	1.6	1.6	1.5
Israel	1.9	1.9	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.7
Italy	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Japan	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.6
Luxembourg	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Mexico	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.4	1.3
Netherlands	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.8
New Zealand	NA	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.5
Norway	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.7
Poland	1.1	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.3
Portugal	1.0	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.4
Slovak Republic	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.0
South Korea	2.2	2.3	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6
Slovenia	NA	1.3	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.3



Country	Expenditures on tertiary education as a percentage of GDP					
	2000	2005	2008	2009	2010	2011
Spain	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.3
Sweden	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.7
Switzerland	1.1	1.4	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3
Turkey	0.7	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.3
United Kingdom	1.0	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.3	1.2
United States	2.1	2.3	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.7
OECD average	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6
EU21 average <sup>c</sup>	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4
OECD partner countries						
Argentina	NA	NA	NA	1.4	NA	1.6
Brazil	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9
China	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Colombia	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	2.0
India	NA	NA	NA	1.3	NA	NA
Indonesia	NA	NA	NA	0.7	NA	NA
Latvia	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.5
Russian Federation	0.5	0.8	0.9	1.2	1.0	1.4
Saudi Arabia	NA	NA	NA	2.3	NA	NA
South Africa	NA	NA	NA	0.6	NA	NA

NA = not available

EU = European Union; GDP = gross domestic product; OECD = Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

<sup>a</sup> Year of reference is 2010 instead of 2011.

<sup>b</sup> Year of reference is 2012 instead of 2011. Year of reference is 2006 instead of 2005.

<sup>c</sup> EU21 average is the unweighted mean of the data value of the 21 countries that are members of both the European Union and the OECD for which data are available or can be estimated. These 21 countries are Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Slovak Republic, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, and United Kingdom

NOTES: Data include public and private sources. Data for Brazil, Hungary, Switzerland, and Turkey are for public expenditures only. Data for the Russian Federation are for public expenditures for 2000 only.

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